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SUBJECT: 33 RD UNGA BILATERALS

REF: (A) STATE 220330, (B) BRAZZAVILLE 1268

1. ALTHOUGH LETTER REFERRED TO IN REFTEL A HAS
NOT ARRIVED BRAZZAVILLE, WITH SEPTEMBER 8 DEADLINE,
WE WANTED TO SUGGEST FOR AF/C THAT, SHOULD MEETING BETWEEN
AF ASSISTANT SECRETARY MOOSE AND CONGOLESE FOREIGN
MINISTER OBENGA MATERIALIZE, OCCASION BE USED FOR A
GENERAL REVIEW OF STATE OF OUR RELATIONS ONE YEAR SINCE
WE HAVE REOPENED. WE SHOULD REFER TO PRIVATE INVESTMENT
LOANS AND FINANCIAL POSSIBILITIES, PEACE CORPS, AND REGIONAL
AID PROGRAMS, AS WELL AS ARRIVAL OF OUR PAO AND PROGRAMS
HE WILL UNDERTAKE. WE MIGHT CALL ON CONGOLESE TO BE MORE
SUPPORTIVE REGARDING MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS, INCLUDING
PUERTO RICO IN COMMITTEE OF 24, WHILE FLAGGING OUR
CONCERN OVER HUMAN RIGHTS AT UPCOMING JUDGEMENTS OF
THOSE ALLEGEDLY INVOLVED IN AUGUST 14 "COUP ATTEMPT."

- 2. OUR OBJECTIVE WILL BE TO SHOW OURSELVES AS FORTHCOMING, AND CONCERNED TO PROMOTE A STILL IMPROVED RELATIONSHIP WITH GOCB; OBENGA'S OBJECTIVE WILL BE TO ELICIT ADDITIONAL AID.
- 3. DEPARTMENT HAS SAME BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION WHICH CONFIDENTIAL

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WE HAVE AVAILABLE CONCERNING OBENGA AND CONGOLESE PERMREP/AMBASSADOR MONDJO. KATZEN

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